AMENDMENTS

Please amend the present application as follows:

In the Claims

The following is a copy of Applicants' claims that identifies language being added with underlining ("____") and language being deleted with strikethrough (" "), as is applicable:

 (Currently Amended) A recordable media content archiving system in a subscriber network, said recordable media content archiving system comprising:

a memory for storing recordable media content characterizing information;
a storage device for capable of storing on a plurality of portable storage
mediums of a plurality of different portable storage medium types; and
a processor configured with the memory to:

receive into the memory characterizing information corresponding to respective recordable media content;

provide a user interface with at least a portion of the received characterizing information, said portion corresponding to a first recordable media content;

download the first recordable media content via the subscriber network from a server responsive to a first user input selecting the first recordable media content from the user interface;

determine a type of portable medium for storing the downloaded

first recordable media content, the type of portable medium corresponding to a media type of the first recordable media content; and

select without user intervention, a portable storage medium type

corresponding to a media type of the first recordable media

content, from the plurality of different portable storage

medium types for storing the downloaded first recordable

media content; and

store into on at least one of the <u>plurality of portable storage</u>

mediums of the <u>plurality of different portable storage medium</u>

types the downloaded first recordable media content, the at least one of the <u>plurality of portable storage mediums</u>

corresponding to the media type of the first recordable media content.

- 2. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the first user input corresponds to a purchase for personal possession of the first recordable media content.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 2, wherein the recordable media content characterizing information is received into the memory periodically.

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4. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to store recordable media content characterizing information corresponding to the first recordable media content in on the type of plurality of portable storage mediums corresponding to the media type of the first recordable media content.

- 5. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the storing into on the at least one of the <u>plurality of portable storage mediums</u> of the downloaded first recordable media content corresponds to an archiving operation.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 5, wherein an archive screen with pre-configured categories is presented to a user prior to storing the downloaded first recordable media content in on the at least one of the <u>plurality</u> of portable <u>storage</u> mediums.
- 7. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 6, wherein a default is presented to the user for a first pre-configured category.
- 8. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 7, wherein the first pre-configured category corresponds to genre.

9. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 8, wherein the default presented to the user is a first genre associated with the downloaded first recordable media content.

- 10. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 9, wherein the first genre is a portion of the received characterizing information corresponding to the first recordable media content.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 10, wherein the user a second genre is presented to a the user that is different than the first genre.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 11, wherein the received characterizing information corresponding to the first recordable media content is modified to include the second genre.
- 13. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 6, wherein the archive screen is configured to enable the user to edit the defaults for the pre-configured categories.

14. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 6, wherein second archive screen is configured to enable the user to search for recordable media among the plurality of portable <u>storage</u> mediums in <u>on</u> the storage device.

- 15. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 6, wherein the at least one archive screen is configured to enable the user to search for characterizing information corresponding to the recordable media content among the plurality of portable storage mediums stored in on the storage device.
- 16. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 6, wherein the at least one archive screen is configured to enable the user to create personalized categories.
- 17. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is configured to receive the downloaded first recordable media content from the server within a subscriber network television system for storage in on the at least one of the plurality of portable storage mediums in on the storage device.
- 18. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is configured to receive the downloaded first recordable media content from the server through an exclusive network session.

19. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to determine if the at least one of the proper plurality of portable storage mediums is loaded in on the storage device.

- 20. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 19, wherein the processor is further configured to automatically load the <u>at least one of the proper plurality of portable storage mediums of on the storage device.</u>
- 21. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 20, wherein the <u>at least</u> one of the proper <u>plurality of portable storage medium</u> is categorized by title type.
- 22. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 21, wherein the processor is further configured to load the <u>at least one of the proper plurality of portable storage mediums of on the storage device with a title type corresponding to the first recordable media content.</u>
- 23. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to prompt the user to load the proper <u>plurality of portable</u> storage mediums of on the storage device.

24. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to receive user input from a remote control device.

- 25. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to categorize the first recordable media content and the <u>plurality of portable storage mediums</u> by a user providing the first user input.
- 26. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 25, wherein the processor is further configured to select the <u>storage</u> medium for receiving the downloaded first recordable media content corresponding to a user purchasing the first recordable media content.
- 27. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein at least one of the recordable media content in on the plurality of portable storage mediums located in the storage device have authorized access locks.
- 28. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 27, wherein the authorized access locks have corresponding icons displayed on one of a plurality of screen displays to alert the user to a requirement for authorized access.

29. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor is further configured to enable a user to categorize recordable media content, and the plurality of portable <u>storage</u> mediums that store the recordable media content, into a structured archive, wherein the processor is further configured to receive the downloaded first recordable media content <u>into on</u> at least one of the <u>plurality of different</u> portable <u>storage</u> mediums <u>types</u> with characterizing information matching the downloaded first recordable media content.

- 30. (Original) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor, the memory, and the storage device are located in a set top box.
- 31. (Original) The system of claim 1, wherein the processor, the memory, and the storage device are located in a headend.

32-57. (Canceled)